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Elementary school celebrates 60 years

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

"Sixty is a pretty big number," Elk Point Elementary School vice principal Leanne Vinge said as she welcomed students, staff, former staff and students to the school's 60th birthday celebration on Thursday.



THEY CAME BACK for Elk Point Elementary School's 60th Birthday celebration and today's staff and students warmly welcomed the school's former teachers, support staff and students. Front, left to right: Donna Chamberland, Marlyne Kryvenchuk, Myrna Fox, Sylvia Boothman, Olga Grykuliak, Myrna Fedorus; back, left to right, Darlene Sereda, Mona McGinnis, Janelle Richard, Ray Hellquist, Lee Wruth, Lorne Young, Ray Danyluk, Debbie Buryn, Don Buryn and Sylvia Conrad.

Vicki Brooker photo

"In 1957, when this school first opened, that was the year the first hoola hoop and first Frisbee were made. It cost 19 cents for a pack of gum and a new car cost \$2,500."

Thanking the special guests, Vinge said she "learned some cool stuff in the Grade 5 presentation", when

former EPE music teacher Don Buryn was back in the music room where he once taught, telling today's students about the school's renovation when that room was created.

Former teachers, staff and students Ray Hellquist, Sylvia Boothman, Lee Wruth, Sylvia Conrad, Marlyne Kryvenchuk, Myrna Fedorus, Lorne Young, Mona McGinnis, Darlene Sereda and Ray Danyluk also visited classrooms to talk about school days of the past prior to the main celebration in the gymnasium.

"Some of you don't know me, some of you knew me when I was the principal before Mr. MacDonald," Young said, adding that his involvement with the school went back much longer than that. "This school was opened on April 1, 1957, and I was born in February of that year, we're the same age. I was first involved when I came to school in 1963. There was no kindergarten then but the kids who would be in Grade One in the fall came for one day in the spring so they wouldn't be scared in September." In Grade 7, he attended the old school that was then located in the parking lot south of EPE's playground, before moving on to F. G. Miller.

"All my life I went to school in Elk Point," he said, and after graduation, when he was taking his teacher training, "my very last practice teaching placement was here with Mrs. Grykuliak and her Grade 4 class." Young taught in Heinsburg for 23 years, "and I came here when Mr. Conrad retired. Now I'm a school board trustee."

Young noted that the school's last major renovation took place in 1991, 26 years ago, "and it still looks brand new. You guys kept it looking great." He said that many of the people who went to EPE "have done amazing things," and predicted that more would do so in the future.

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Brainstorming emphasizes need to prove value

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

The Elk Point Chamber of Commerce Business Brainstorming session drew very small attendance last week, although those who did attend not only gave constructive suggestions, they also listened intently to guest speaker Bob Bezpalko, Executive Director of Northeast Alberta Information HUB, as he outlined ways the chamber could better serve its members.

Along with Elk Point, "other chambers are struggling," Bezpalko said, "because they fail to show businesses the advantages of membership." It is also important to understand and improve the community's relationship to the region as a whole, and "think of the bigger picture," including working with the County and Town of St. Paul

HUB, one of 11 similar groups across the province, does just that, with their 'bigger picture' involving 38

communities across the northeast, covering a region from Lac La Biche County in the north to County of Vermilion River in the south, and from the Alberta-Saskatchewan border in the east to Thorhild County in the west. This alliance of communities, colleges, business and industry showcases the best of what the region offers and "We supply data in a user friendly way" to of all kinds for businesses already in the region and those that might be considering locating in the area, Bezpalko said.

Bezpalko was previously Elk Point's economic development coordinator, and told the group, "Economic development is a fancy term for building wealth in your community." The mandate of a chamber is generally business retention, expansion and attraction, he said, with tourism playing an important role, as visitors who come to a community and are impressed with what it offers may consider a future move to that community.

"This is more than Main Street Elk Point," Bezpalko said. "You need to understand the businesses that drive Elk Point, and work with them. You need to find the passionate people, and you need to prove your value to the businesses, and be able to answer the question, 'What does my \$100 membership fee give me?'"

Local realtor Shirley Harms, who at one time was the chamber's vice president, agreed with Bezpalko and told the members, "We have opportunities at our fingertips. We need to look at things 360 degrees, and identify what people need from the chamber. Roadblocks are like dominos, when they fall, they stop everybody. We have to make it attractive for businesses to come here."

Brainstorming session organizers Melanie Poulin and Jena Colbourne will present a full report on the findings of the meeting at the June 7 chamber of commerce meeting.

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STAFF AND STUDENTS, PAST AND PRESENT gathered in Elk Point Elementary School's gym on Thursday to celebrate the school's 60th birthday.



VICE PRINCIPAL Leanne Vinge chats with retired teacher Orest Sereda, who was already part of the staff when she came to the school as a Grade 1 student in 1976.



FORMER EPE MUSIC TEACHER DON BURYN tells today's Grade 5 students about the major renovations that added a music room to the school.



LOOKING BACK - Former teachers Sylvia Boothman, Myrna Fox and Olga Grykuliak share their reminiscences as they look through a yearbook.

Birthday

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"Never forget where you came from," he urged them. "Taking time to remember it is very important." One of his favorite memories from the past was the building of the north playground in 2007 and the south playground two years later, both the result of "a whole bunch of fundraisers and a lot of work." He also remembered that projectors were installed in all the classrooms during his time here, and a new gym floor was installed then also.

"Be proud of what you're doing today and what you're remembering. This school has played an important part in everyone's life, and it's as important to the community today as it ever was."

Vinge noted that one of the school's first teachers, Stella Young, was Young's grandmother. Her own mother, Gladys Drobot, and teacher Kris Ann Jenner's grandmother, Louise (Maas) Larson, were also part of the staff at one time. Vinge started school at EPE in 1976, and said her Grade 1 teacher was Mrs. Melin.

Following a huge group photo with the school's ceremonial birthday cake front and centre, everyone settled down to enjoy a very special presentation of video interviews of retired teachers Lee Wruth, Louise Larson, Orest Sereda and Sylvia Boothman, former school librarian Myrna Fedorus, former school secretary Marlyne Kryvenchuk and former students Kelly Raymond and Denise Bjorkman as they gave more insight into the school's earlier years, with reminiscences about the earliest computers, Christmas concerts, renovations and special moments.

Today's students Shaylynn Klatt, Colby Havener and Josef Theriault led the singing of 'Happy Birthday' before the students returned to their classrooms to enjoy special birthday cookies and prepare to head home for a four-day long weekend.

The honoured guests remained in the gym to enjoy cake and coffee, browse through school yearbooks and memorabilia, meet today's staff and share stories about their years of involvement with the school.

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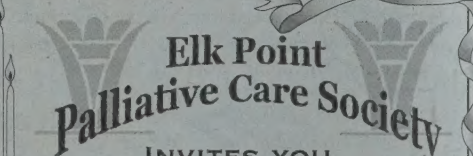
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The County of St. Paul No. 19 Agricultural Service Board will be starting their 2017 Roadside Spraying Program in the month of June. This program is in place to control the spread of Weeds and Brush along Municipal Road Allowances in accordance with the Weed Control Act.

Landowners concerned about Pesticide Spraying along Municipal Road Allowances must sign a "Weed and Brush Control Agreement," with the County and post the areas they do not want sprayed by May 31st. It will be the Landowner's responsibility to control all the weeds and brush within that posted area by July 1, 2017 or the County may intervene with control measures.

The "Weed and Brush Control Agreement" and the "Do Not Spray" Signs are available at the County Office or Public Works Shop.

For more information, please contact Keith Kornelsen, Agr. Fieldman at 780-645-3006 Ext. 236 or Warren Leister, Assistant Agr. Fieldman at 780-645-3006 Ext. 235.

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Addition, fine tuning for Canada Day lineup

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Something new has been added to the Canada Day 2017 program, after the Canada Day Committee met last week to fine-tune their program for the celebration of Canada's 150th birthday.

The County of St. Paul and Elk Point FCSS had contacted the organizers to inquire if they would like an outdoor movie that evening, and the answer was a resounding 'YES!' It was agreed that this would be a popular alternative to entertain families that choose not to attend the dance while they wait for the fireworks.

A major change this year is that floats for the parade must pre-register for judging, and must be lined up by 9:30 a.m. ready for judging between 9:45 and 10:45 a.m. This will allow the volunteer judges more time to select the best entries in each category.

Some changes have also been made to the stage show, with illusionist and impersonator Greg T doing

both sets during the afternoon, rather than one in the arena during the evening, due to the logistics of moving sound equipment.

The Famous in a Small Town talent competition will also take place on the outdoor Canada Day stage following the supper, rather than in the arena, but will only take place if enough entries come forward to perform. Watch for further details on this competition and how to enter in the coming weeks.

Another addition to the afternoon show are the Campfire Kings duet who are eager to take song requests from the crowd in what is billed as a 'really fun show.' Elk Point Ukrainian Dance Club will have three groups on hand to delight the crowd during the afternoon, and the 4-H Multi Club will entertain with a dog agility show. The 4-Hers will also have displays in the arena showing the year's achievements.

Some volunteer positions have been filled, with Terri Hampson agreeing to coordinate the home business and food vendors' section and Elk Point Curling

Club willing to provide four to six people to work the door and ticket sales at the dance. However, at least six volunteers (teens welcome) are needed to take care of the bounce houses and three kids' and teen games from 12 Noon to 5 p.m. Face painting and a clown and balloon artist will also be part of the Kids' Zone.

The committee is also looking for experienced bartenders with ProServe training for the dance and for someone willing to run the photo booth.

Anyone able and willing to help with these very necessary duties is asked to email recreation@elk-point.ca, phone (780) 207-5898 or leave their name and contact information at the town office.

Committee treasurer Jena Colbourne reported "pretty good response" to the sponsorship packages she sent out, with businesses, individuals and groups sending in donations and more promised. The committee agreed that it is wonderful to see local support for the event, which is one of the community's premier attractions during the year.

Break-ins and their aftermath concern CAPC

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Concerns with recent break-and-enters in the area were brought to the May 10 meeting of Elk Point and Area Community Advisory Policing Committee. Seniors representative Levina Ewasiuk noted that in many cases, "insurance isn't covering the loss of property, and with the impound costs, people are being victimized over and over."

The victim of one recent break and enter warned members to check their insurance policies for exclusions. "You need to read the fine print," oil patch representative Brant Evans said. "Your underwriter must list everything you want to be insured." After a number of the items stolen were tracked down by the RCMP, Evans also learned that the cost of towing and impound lot storage for stolen items definitely adds up, and in his case, was assessed on each individual item, rather than on the items as a whole, a situation that Cpl Bobby Burgess offered to look into to see if this could be modified.

On the other hand, Evans said crime "is not bad in the patch," likely due to the fact that the spring thaw made it difficult to access leases, with the trucks servicing the wells "dragging mud off the leases" in most locations. The Elk Point Oilmen's Association held their annual general meeting on May 9, he noted, adding that he had urged the members to support Rural Crime Watch endeavors to be extra eyes and ears for the RCMP. The Oilmen's Golf Tournament is set for August 17 to 19.

Greater Lakeland Rural Crime Watch (GLRCW) president Orest Sereda was pleased to hear of the potential support coming from the oil industry, and also announced that he is helping a new rural

crime watch group in the Bonnyville area to get going. A previous group in that area did not have RCMP support, he noted, but the new group does. Closer to home, GLRCW was one of the sponsors for the RCMP Road Race, as well as continuing to explore ways to replace the member fan-out information system. The Rural Crime Watch float is currently undergoing alterations to make it more street-worthy, in preparation for the Canada Day parade. The group is also busy planning a Farmers' Day barbecue for current and new members, to be held at Stoney Lake.

F. G. Miller High School had good news to report, with their new DJ system a huge hit at their April 21 dance and badminton players Nicholas Anderson and Alyssa Espinoza bringing home gold and bronze medals, respectively, from provincials. The school's SADD group is doing a Checkstop on May 18 with the RCMP, "encouraging people to drive safe and not be distracted or under the influence on the road," Megan Phillips told the CAPC, adding that SADD will be handing out cards and goodies to the drivers.

FGM students were impressed by the message brought by Robb Nash on May 4, who Phillips said "really related to the students. His presentation was amazing and many people were in tears. He turned his bad situation into something good." Another interesting visitor is slated to come on June 2. Greg Drew was a firefighter who lost his son in a speed-caused crash. Phillips, who has attended presentations by Drew at SADD conferences, said he "relates this to teenagers because he knows so many of them speed, and he wants to make a change, even if it's a small one." Drew will bring along the remains of his son's car, with his sneaker still jammed by the

pedals, as a visual reminder that speed kills.

Other recent visitors to the school included journalist Gwynn Dyer, speaking on the consequences of robots and machines taking over jobs, and country singer Tiffany Dowhan, who brought the High Heels and Spurs positive self-esteem workshop.

Victim Services representative Ashley McQueen said her department has been very busy with victims of break-and-enters and domestic violence, and said, "A lot of people are getting assistance."

The municipalities have also been busy these days. County Coun. Dwight Dach reported on "a busy spring with lots of soft spots and plugged culverts, while Town Coun. Dwayne Yaremkevich said public works crews are cleaning up after the winter, with street sweeping

underway and the annual alley cleanup where residents could put out items for disposal.

Cpl. Burgess had some good news for the committee, saying that the Elk Point Detachment would soon have a new sergeant, with Sgt. Terry Huggen of Yorkton, SK coming in the next few months, and that Frog Lake First Nations is looking to build a shared emergency services building, and to obtain two dedicated RCMP positions. "They're very motivated to get this in places," he noted. Less positive were crime statistics which showed 219 property crimes to date this year, compared to 190 in 2016, along with a 300 per cent increase on 911 calls, many of which he believes were pocket dialed unintentionally, however these calls must be investigated, thus "draining our resources."



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EDITORIAL

Looking good for 60, EPE!

It's hard to believe that Elk Point Elementary School is 60 years old, because it certainly looks good for its age.

That school is one of many built across Alberta in the mid-1950s, when many one- and two-room rural schools closed and their students bused to the brand new facilities, mostly located in towns and villages.

Elk Point already had a two-room school that opened Jan. 1, 1929, which later became the town office and police barracks. It was outgrown so fast that the original Elk Point school was moved into town from two miles east to a lot between today's RCMP Detachment and the now-closed United Church that same year, another room added a few years later, and another one-room school later joining the lineup.

A three-room high school, which later grew to six rooms and a gym, was opened in 1949, which many of us remember as "the old pink school" and which was still in use during the first renovation to EPE in the late 1980s. That upgrade was quickly followed by an even larger reno and addition in 1991.

Many of the schools built back in the 1950s have already been demolished, some have been put to other uses, and a few, like ours, have undergone modernization and are still in use. Ours, with roof repairs underway while the birthday party took place underneath the workmen, is one of those survivors, and remains a proud part of our community. Happy Birthday EPE!

RECREATION CORNER

Busy Car Show weekend ahead!

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Review Contributor

Next weekend is the annual Car Show and I did hear some rumours around town that it may be moving, so let me squash those. The car show will be held on main street, the first Saturday in June, as it has for many years. They had such a great response last year that they may require additional space and could possibly be expanding down Main Street a little further than in previous years. Hey, the more people in our town the better!

Also on the first Saturday in June is traditionally the day of the community-wide garage sale. With the extra people in town it's the perfect time to sell some of your items.

Play 2 Learn Daycare is also hosting kids' games and fun, so don't forget to swing by and say hi!

The annual Seniors' Pancake Breakfast is Sunday, June 4th, at the Seniors' Recreation Centre. Free pancake breakfast from 8-10 a.m... and we also serve eggs and sausage! Hope to see you all there.

Reminder to all non-profit groups and facilities, the next round of Community Enhancement MSI Grant Funding Deadline in June 15th. Please check the town's website, elkpoint.ca or email me, recreation@elkpoint.ca if you need an application form. You can also pick up a form in person at the Town office. It is important that you include your financial documents, i.e. your balance sheet. Also it's important to display other ways your group is helping themselves; for example, are you applying for any other grants, what types of fundraising have you done and are you willing to give back to the community? Those are all important to include.

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Mural stewardship, farewell ceremonies and big questions

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1987

Elk Point Historical Society accepted stewardship for the project of creating a mural portraying significant events in the history of the community, in commemoration of Elk Point's 80th anniversary of permanent settlement. Dr. David Summers, director of the Canadian Save the Children Fund in Kenya, addressed an audience at the United Church on the problems in underprivileged countries.

1992

Kristin Kittlitz and Colin Bjorkman were valedictorians for F. G. Miller's Class of 1992, who had as their theme, "A Place Where Dreams May Grow." Heinsburg's six grads asked, "Where do we go from here?" as they celebrated the end of their high school years.

1997

F. G. Miller's Class of '97 held their farewell ceremonies, and were told by principal Jim Hawkins that they were "excellent role models in the school and the community." The Town of Elk Point agreed to help the cash-strapped Golf and Country Club by removing the rent clause from their lease agreement and giving the club a grant to cover their water usage costs for the year.

2002

Elk Point's "Partners Against Crime" combined forces for a Crime Prevention Week open house, with eight presenters explaining their roles in keeping Elk Point a safe and secure community in which to live. The age-old question of where to put the tourist booth was back for another round of discussion by Elk Point Chamber of Commerce, with potential sites this time

around located by the Peter Fidler statue, by the town's sewer dumping station and at the end of Main Street on CN property.

2007

Minimal attendance at the Elk Point Chamber of Commerce meeting prompted vice president Shirley Harms to once again question the train station project, saying, "We're not garnering the input we need. I would say we're not strong enough to do it." With new development becoming a regular occurrence, Elk Point town council looked at ways to improve their development agreement document as they looked over sample agreements town manager Myron Goyan had obtained from other towns, and discussed their potential.

2012

The rezoning of the land north of the Elk Point fairgrounds from Urban Reserve to light industrial came under fire at last Monday's hearing on Bylaw 710/12, as a local businessman and nearby residents expressed their concerns to Elk Point town council.



HEINSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOL celebrated the accomplishments of the Class of 2012 at their Farewell ceremonies with the theme, 'If you can imagine it, you can achieve it. If you can dream it, you can become it.' Principal Darcy Younghans presents Elizabeth Jackson with a unique scroll.

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RN shortage poses problem for medical leaves

VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

A shortage of registered nurses all over the north zone of Alberta is proving to be a problem at Elk Point Health Care Centre, where three RNs are currently on medical leave. Facility manager Kristen Peleshok told the Interagency Health and Wellness Committee that the temporary positions have been posted on the Alberta Health website, but when nurses from other areas come to Elk Point, they need a place to stay.

Three licensed practical nurses are currently taking the RN program, which will help with future staffing, but for now, there's "lots of overtime and changing shifts," she noted. Peleshok said had a capable candidate apply for the 4.1 position, but that person subsequently found a full time job and opted out.

Loris Kozina reported six vacancies at Heritage Lodge, where the sprinkler system is just waiting for

another alarm panel before it is completed. She added that the MD of St. Paul Foundation also has two houses for low-income families in Elk Point, with rent geared to income. There is also one vacancy at Buckingham House. Age requirements at Heritage Lodge have been relaxed somewhat to cope with special circumstances.

County of St. Paul Coun. Dwight Dach told the committee it has been a busy spring for the county crews, with "a lot of holes and bumps. Bear with us, we're pushing all we can," he urged.

Mayor Parrish Tung reminded everyone about the Seniors' Week Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, June 4 at the Seniors' Recreation Centre.

Later that week, Terry Shankowski told the group that the County of St. Paul and Elk Point FCSS will host a Seniors' Barbecue at the same location on Friday, June 9 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Her office has been very busy in recent months, doing 69 income tax forms, with a few stragglers still coming in. The

Greenland bus tour was a huge success with a full bus, courtesy of Xtreme Oilfield Services, taking the travelers out for "a wonderful day."

Levina Ewasiuk reported that the Health Centre Auxiliary is hoping to have their canteen open and manned as a fundraiser for their group, and noted that the volunteers must be security cleared and must be Auxiliary members. The Palliative Care Candle Ceremony is slated for May 23.

Crystal Brodziak was not in attendance but submitted a report noting that Alberta Health Services has updated their smoking policies, not only in the facility but in homes where home care visit. She also reported that a portable mammography clinic will visit Elk Point in July, and urged the public to call her office for appointments.

Watch next week's issue for all the winners of Elk Point 4-H Beef Club Achievement Day!



RCMP look for keys owner

On April 19, 2017, a set of keys attached to a vehicle key fob were brought to the Elk Point Detachment. The keys were found at the Elk Point Co-op Gas station sometime prior to this date.

The key fob is believed to belong to a Jeep and has a St. Paul keychain attached with two keys. Police are looking to return them to the rightful owner.

If these are your keys please contact the Elk Point RCMP at 780-724-3964.

RCMP investigate theft

Elk Point RCMP are investigating a theft from a rural residence north of Elk Point. Sometime between May 14-16, 2017 suspect(s) stole a blue 2005 Miller Bobcat 250 welder, trailer and other welding supplies.

Elk Point RCMP are asking anyone with information regarding this incident to please contact the Elk Point RCMP at 780-724-3964 or call your local police. If you want to remain anonymous, you can contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), by internet at www.tipsubmit.com, or by SMS (check your local Crime Stoppers www.crimestoppers.ab.ca for instructions).



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Sale Location: From Marwayne, 5 Miles North on Sec Hwy 897 to Twp Road 534, 2 Miles West to Rge Road 33, 2.5 Miles North, East Side. **TRACTORS:** JD 5020 (W/Chains)* JD 3020 (1964, 148 Ldr, 5515 Hrs.)* Cockshutt 70* MF 81* JD 400 Lawn Tractor (1975, Rebuilt Engine, Rototiller)* JD 525 Lawn Mower **TRUCKS & CARS:** Ford 600 Cab Over (W/Water Tank)* 1983 Ford* 1976 Ford (W/ Hoist)* 1968 Ford (W/Hoist)* 1980 Ford Bronco* 1952* Dodge 1T. **FIELD EQUIP:** IH 100 Press Drill (21")* Morris HD Cultivator (24")* IH Cultivator (16"), Harmon Harrows* Cockshutt Cultivator (24")* JD Tiller (16")* Small Disc* Old Sprayer* Blade (9")* Old Scraper* Augers **COMBINES & BINS:** JD 95 Combine* IH 175 Swather (13.5', Wisconsin Motor)* (2) Metal Bins (1650 Bu., Good Floors)* Butler Bin (2000 Bu., Needs Floor)* Cattle Equip* Yard Equip* Scamper Holiday Trailer* 65HP Mercury Outboard Motor* Tools & Misc. **For More Information, Please Call Jim at 780-872-6819.**

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Sale Location: From Vermilion, 8 Miles North on Hwy 41 to Twp Road 522, 6 1/2 Miles West or Hwy 16 & Rge Road 80, 10 Miles North to Twp Road 522, 1/4 Mile West. **EQUIPMENT:** KL351 Kioti Tractor (35 HP, FEL, 252 Hrs.)* 775 MF 15' Hydrostatic Swather* MF 5' FC23 Diesel Lawn Mower* 6' Cultivator* 6' Harrow* 7' Snow Blade* (2) 1250 Gal Plastic Water Tanks* (7) Water Tanks* (3) Pressure Tanks **SHOP:** Karcher 2600 PSI 2.3 HP Pressure Washer* 3000 Champion Power Plant (New)* 10" Mastercraft Deluxe Table Saw* 10" Mitre Saw* Chain Saws* Mastercraft Compressor* Shop Vac* Anvil* Large Assortment of Tools* Shelves* BB Gun **YARD EQUIP. & MISC:** 27" Craftsman Snow Blower (10 Hrs.)* 15 Gal. Sprayer (Mounted)* (2) Grass Whippers* (6) Wood Lawn Chairs w/Cushions* Neuton Battery Powered Lawn Mower* Assorted Truck Tires* Insulated Truck Box* Magnum 12 Fence Charger & Supplies* 2.5 Gal Back Pack Sprayer* (9) Cattle Panels* Assorted Steel & Lumber* 11.5' Steel Gate* Assorted Household Antiques & Misc. **For More Information, Please Call Paul at 780-853-2377.** **CONSIGNMENT:** 1969 GMC 960 3T. Truck (Box & Hoist, 900x20 Tires)* Farm King 50" Diamond Harrow Draw Bar* 22" IHC Vibra Chisel 5000 (Hang Up Harrows)* F 15' Deep Tillage Cultivator. **For More Information, Please Call Alex Wymnychuk at 780-853-2013.**

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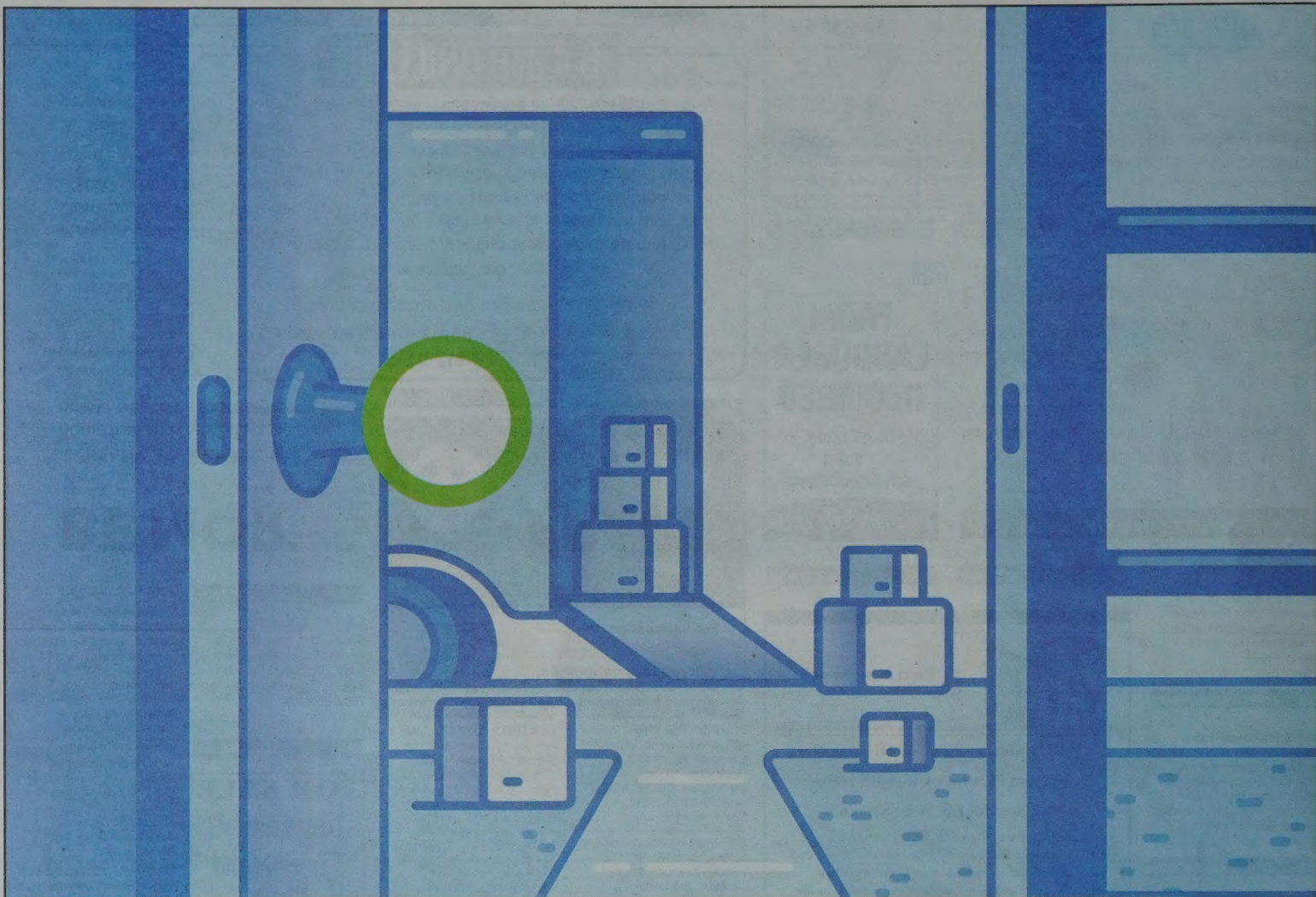
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